DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION Olympia, Washington

To: Pharmacists Memorandum No. 04-61 MAA

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Subject: Prescription Drug Program: Maximum Allowable Cost Update

Effective for dates of service on and after August 1, 2004, the Medical Assistance Administration (MAA) will implement the following changes to the Prescription Drug Program:

1. New additions to the Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) list; and

2. Adjustments to existing MACs.

1. MAC Additions:

			MAC
			Effective
Generic Name	Strength	Form	08/01/04
BENAZEPRIL/			
HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE	5-6.25MG	TABLET	\$0.18380
BENAZEPRIL/			
HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE	10-12.5MG	TABLET	\$0.18380
BENAZEPRIL/			
HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE	20-12.5MG	TABLET	\$0.18380
BENAZEPRIL/			
HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE	20-25MG	TABLET	\$0.18380

2. MAC Adjustments:

			MAC Effective
Generic Name	Strength	Form	08/01/04
ACYCLOVIR	200MG	TABLET	\$0.09317
ACYCLOVIR	800MG	TABLET	\$0.21580
ERYTHROMYCIN BASE	500MG	TABLET DR	\$0.31000
CHLORPROMAZINE HCL	10MG	TABLET	\$0.16000
METHOCARBAMOL	500MG	TABLET	\$0.10780
METHOCARBAMOL	750MG	TABLET	\$0.11000
NITROGLYCERIN	6.5MG	CAPSULE SA	\$0.11180
NYSTATIN	100000U/ML	ORAL SUSP	\$0.19050
PROMETHAZINE HCL	6.25MG/5ML	SYRUP	\$0.02850
PROPOXYPHENE HCL	65MG	CAPSULE	\$0.23587